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1. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF LETTER ADDRESSED TO AMBASSADOR INGER-SOLL AMERICAN EMBASSY TOKYO JAPAN FROM DIRECTOR C. ROMAN, FEB, USGAO, HONOLULU, HAWAII.

BEGIN TEXT:

DEAR MR. AMBASSADOR:

THE UNITED STATES GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE PLANS TO MAKE A REVIEW OF THE VOLUNTARY RESTRAINT AGREEMENTS WHICH LIMIT THE EXPORTS OF TEXTILES AND STEEL FROM OTHER COUNTRIES TO THE UNITED STATES. THE OBJECTIVE OF OUR REVIEW IS TO STUDY THE COSTS AND EFFECTS OF THESE AGREEMENTS ON THE AMERICAN CONSUMER, THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT, THE DOMESTIC INDUSTRIES, AND THE FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS AND INDUSTRIES. IN ADDITION TO DISCUSSIONS WITH EMBASSY OFFICIALS, WE WANT TO MEET WITH SEVERAL JAPANESE GOVERNMENT AND NON-GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATIVES CONCERNED WITH TEXTILE AND STEEL EXPORTS TO DETERMINE THEIR GENERAL ATTITUDE TOWARD THESE AGREEMENTS. WE EXPECT TO BE IN TOKYO FROM SEPTEMBER 25 UNTIL ABOUT OCTOBER 10, 1973.

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THE REVIEW WILL BE PERFORMED BY THE FOLLOWING UNITED
STATES GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE REPRESENTATIVES:

JOHN P. COMPETELLO - AUDIT MANAGER
FRANCIS W. GLYNN

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE
REPRESENTATIVES LISTED ABOVE HAVE BEEN GRANTED SECURITY
CLEARANCE FOR OFFICIAL PURPOSES FOR ACCESS TO SECURITY
INFORMATION CLASSIFIED UP TO AND INCLUDING TOP SECRET ON
THE BASIS OF EXECUTIVE ORDER 10450.

THIS CERTIFICATION IS NOT TO BE HONORED UNLESS THE
REPRESENTATIVES NAMED HEREIN PRESENT OFFICIAL GENERAL
ACCOUNTING OFFICE CREDENTIALS.

SINCERELY YOURS,

C. ROMAN
DIRECTOR

END TEXT.

2. PLEASE ADVISE AS PER REFTEL.
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